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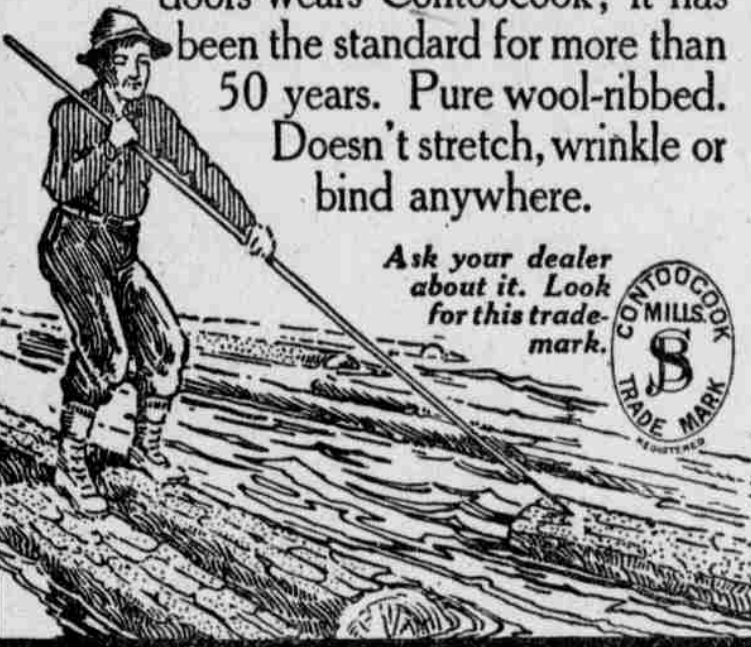
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Very Interesting Letter from Corporal Charles O. Pelkey, with A. E. F.

Following are portions from a letter written by Corp. Charles O. Pelkey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Pelkey, who is with the 118th engineers in France.

Oct. 21.—I now take great pleasure in answering your letter which I received a couple of days ago and now find a few minutes to spare to answer it. I found me well and everything with me fine. I am working in the orderly room of the company and find it very interesting work. Of course there are times that I get a bit puzzled in the work, but then I make out to get by the hard places somehow. I do the best that I can and try to learn all that I can about the work. To tell the truth, I had rather be with the boys helping to pump the Huns off, but then, some of us have to stay behind to do this work and if I can do my bit better here than there I haven't a kick coming. I didn't join the army to do what I pleased; it was to do whatever was placed before me. * * * I can always find time to write any of my friends, as it is very pleasant to receive mail. A soldier appreciates mail more than people think. Whenever I hear the mail call I am anxious for the mail to be distributed to see if there is any for me. I get my share of it too. * * *

Yes, as you say, the dear old Green mountains of Vermont would look very good to me, as it has been quite a long time since I saw them last. And when this strife is over and the boys all return home to the dear folks and the many friends, that will be the first place that I will make for. Where I am now, there are no mountains, only small hills. The vegetation here is very nice. I never saw so many beautiful flowers as I saw here last spring. Some Sunday afternoons I would take short walks through the country. It seemed as if there wasn't

a spot alongside the road that didn't have a rose bush just loaded to the ground with blossoms or else some other kind of spring flower. French are great on flowers, more so I think than the Americans.

I also enjoy talking with the people. Of course I am quite lucky in being able to talk their language fairly well. They think that there isn't anything like the Americans. I made acquaintance with a family some time ago and I have spent many very nice evenings talking with them. They have lost one son and have another that is somewhere on the front doing his bit. He is a very fine fellow. He came home a couple of times and we had a few pleasant times together.

Yes, I remember all the boys that you mentioned in the letter, excepting one or two. I can remember when we used to all gather at the hall of an evening and have a splendid time. Mother has written me about Dan Nelson being sick in the service. I am sorry for the poor chap. I know how to pity him. I had my little a few years ago. I feel better now than I ever did before. Army life has done a good deal for me. Of course at times I have been very lonesome and think of all that I have left behind. * * * But then it is for a good cause. * * * We have all that we want to wear, and good clothes. Of course if we don't take care of them they will get the same as any other suit, but I try to keep mine looking as nice as I can. The food is good; of course we don't get pies and cakes, but then we can get along very well without them. I say that Uncle Sam is a very fine fellow to work for.

Am sending you a little souvenir of France; it isn't much but all I have by me. I must close, as I have some work to do. Hoping that you can send me a few lines occasionally and that this finds you as well as it leaves me. Give my regards to my old friends.

Charles O. Pelkey.

HUNS SULLEN IN SURRENDER

U-Boat Crews Are Closely Watched by British and Americans

U-BOATS STRIPPED OF ALL BUT ESSENTIALS

Transfer of the Vessels Was Made Without Demonstration

On Board a British Cruiser, Wednesday, Nov. 20, 6:45 p. m. (By the Associated Press).—Twenty German submarines, the first of the German fleet to surrender, were taken over by the British 26 miles east of Harwich this morning. The transfer was made without demonstration. The German crews sullenly obeyed orders and to-night the U-boats lie moored under the British flag near a British submarine base.

During the surrender, American seaplanes flew low overhead, while American submarine chasers carried British crews to the undersea boats.

From the time the leading submarine was sighted by the British squadron of light cruisers and destroyers, there was no communication with the Germans, except once, when they complained of the speed, and saying the weaker ones were unable to keep up. "Slower, my last boats cannot keep up this speed," was the wireless message from a German commander.

The scene that began about sunrise, when the first submarine was sighted, until late this evening, when the last one was rounded up, might have easily been mistaken for fleet maneuvers. There were few signs of the momentous significance of it all. They appeared a sullen, but well fed lot when the first British officer stepped aboard and curtly saluted. British sailors followed the officers and the Germans went to the forward deck as the British and German officers went below to examine the first ship to be taken over. The German commander answered questions regarding the machinery, which was generally in good shape, but the vessels were extremely dirty and devoid of all essentials.

The Germans anchored near the rendezvous last night and appeared at the appointed place promptly. The British ships with their crews at quarters and every gun manned, took precautions that nothing untoward occurred. One of the 18 British destroyers in the fleet took a position ahead of the German transports accompanying the submarines. Other destroyers steamed along on each side when the column started toward Harwich. The column was divided into five divisions. In addition to the seaplanes that swooped low above the enemy craft, dirigibles accompanied the fleet and an observation balloon which was anchored to a cruiser kept vigil.

Ten miles from Harwich the fleet was met by more British destroyers, which carried crews from British submarines. These men were divided into parties of 14 for each German boat, and each was transferred by American submarine chasers to the U-boats, where a British officer quickly took charge.

The first submarine boarded flew no flag and it seemed a long time to the British sailors on the other vessels before the flag appeared. Finally, however, a white ensign was broken out.

Finally the newly-flagged submarines were brought to anchor at Harwich. The German crews were placed on a destroyer and taken to the two transports which had accompanied them. These vessels were escorted by destroyers to the rendezvous of the morning, where they were left to make their return trip to Germany alone.

HARDWICK

Recurring of Influenza Cases Causes Closing of Schools.

The second outbreak of the Spanish influenza which became evident in the seventh grade of the school here last week has spread to a few cases in other grades, one or two cases in the high school and a few of the teachers have been stricken and there are a few cases outside the village, there being between 30 and 40 cases all told, but none so severe as was the case in the first outbreak. It has been thought best to close the school for this week at least, and probably next week also, or until after Thanksgiving. As yet nothing has been done about the closing of churches or theatre, because all the cases except a very few this time, have been children, whereas the other time it was the older people.

Mrs. H. R. Kimball and Mrs. E. S. Smith were visitors in St. Johnsbury on Wednesday.

Mrs. Inez Valentine attended a meeting of the Caledonia county chapter of the Red Cross at St. Johnsbury Wednesday.

At a recent meeting of the executive committee of the local branch of the Red Cross, Ford R. Brigham was chosen chairman of the finance committee, Rev. Charles Wattle chairman of the home service committee, and L. B. Tins, G. H. McLeod and John Stewart, auditors.

About twenty Christmas boxes have been shipped by the local Red Cross branch to Hoboken, N. J., from which place they will be sent to the recipients across.

Mrs. R. S. Webber was a recent guest of relatives in St. Johnsbury.

John James has gone to Carbondale, Pa., where he expects to find employment.

Mrs. Edward G. French of Danville was an over-Sunday guest at A. C. Hooker's.

Herb Smith has trapped 13 fine foxes this season thus far. These skins are fine ones and are worth \$20 each.

Mrs. Annie Pierce has gone to Barre for an extended visit with relatives.

Several from here took in the presentation of the picture, "Hearts of the World," at Barre Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Helen Emerson is spending the week in Williston with her sister, Miss Jeannette Slapp, who is teaching school in that place.

G. Broci is moving to Barre.

Glen Utton was home from camp near Hoboken, N. J., over Sunday.

Miss Helene Gallagher has returned from Boston, where she has been quite ill with pneumonia, preceded by influenza.

Miss Nora Gallagher has returned to her school work in Burlington.

Dr. George French of Concord was a recent guest of his brother, Charles L. French.

Dr. A. D. Ferris and son were in Burlington last Saturday.

Knut Nyman, Harold Nelson, Frank Conrad, Albert Pasanti, Claude Ainsworth and one or two others, were among the lucky Hardwick hunters killing deer the past ten days.

Donald Young went to the Mary Fletcher hospital at Burlington Tuesday morning, where he will undergo an operation for appendicitis. His mother, Mrs. W. D. Young, accompanied him and will remain for a few days.

Laverne White is home from Pelham Bay, N. Y., for a ten days' furlough.

The Hardwick and Plainfield stage began its winter schedule on wheels Thursday of this week, Mr. Benjamin deciding to discard the auto stage on account of the terrible condition of the roads.

Mr. Benjamin has a new lot of horses and has a new covered top for either wagon or sleigh, and as soon as cold weather sets in will have the rig heated inside, so that passengers will be as comfortable as though riding in a car or the train. He leaves here at 6:30 in the morning and arrives in Plainfield at 10:30, returning, arriving here about 9 o'clock, and later in the season expects to leave Plainfield at about 2 in the afternoon and arrive here at about 6 o'clock.

Christmas trees are being loaded on the cars at the station. It is expected there will be about six carloads shipped from this station.

Miss Griffith, one of the teachers, is assisting at the station, while school is not in session.

WOODBURY

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gallup and daughter of Marshfield Saturday.

Mrs. Mildred Bates, after a few weeks' visit in town.

Myrtle Colley returned Saturday to Groveton, N. H., after a few weeks' visit in town.

Albion Michael of Greensboro was a visitor the first of the week at N. A. Ross.

Edmund Eddy was home from his court duties in Montpelier Saturday and Sunday.

H. S. Benjamin is in Montpelier acting as jurymen.

Flora and Bessie Drennan left Saturday for Washington, D. C.

Mrs. N. A. Ross is in Greensboro, a guest of her daughter, Mrs. Ruth Michael.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Ainsworth returned Sunday from a few days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Conrad in Hardwick.

Mrs. Anna Wadleigh and daughter of Chelsea are guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Thomas.

The women met at Mrs. C. H. Dana's Tuesday afternoon and organized a Woman's club.

Mrs. C. H. Dana was a business visitor in Cabot Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dr. Jewell of Nashua, N. H., were over-Sunday guests of Mrs. Jewell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Peck.

Mrs. H. E. Webber and son, Mack, were in Hardwick Saturday.

Phyllander Way is in Burlington, a guest of his brother, A. T. Way.

H. E. Webber was home Sunday from his work in Barre.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Baldwin of Barre were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Thomas and daughter visited Mrs. Thomas' father, George Colby, in Chelsea Sunday.

Vermont's Deer Slaying Record.

Eighty-three deer were killed in Vermont on Nov. 19, according to the reports to the state commissioner, making a total of 388 up to that time. The report by counties for that day was as follows:

Chelton	5
Bennington	16
Caledonia	6
Frazar	6
Franklin	1
Lamoille	1
Orleans	1
Rutland	13
Washington	4
Windham	20
Windsor	7
Previously reported	83
	305

288

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TOPSHAM

P. J. McNamara was at South Ryegate last Saturday.

Mrs. Lenora Richardson, who has been assisting her sister, Mrs. R. B. Cilley, during her recent illness, has returned to her home at Waits River.

Roy E. Powers, who was operated on at base hospital, Spartanburg, S. C., last Friday, is improving slowly.

Madam MacDonald and daughter, Miss Evelyn, who have been spending the summer here with C. D. MacDonald, returned to New York City last Wednesday.

Cards have been received announcing the marriage on Nov. 5 of Herbert David Scott, and Mrs. Sadie Eliza Dodge, at the home of the groom, 30 Blackmore avenue, Eden Park, R. I. Mrs. Scott is well known here, and her many friends tender to her congratulations and best wishes for years of wedded bliss.

We think the following worthy of mention: Pvt. Robert Hall, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. George Hall, sailed for France Nov. 11, 1917, and peace was declared one year from that date, and the day following he received his second service stripe. We are sure this will be a memorable day to him all through life.

On Sunday morning the pastor, Rev. C. A. Lay, delivered an excellent patriotic address, and there was special music by the choir, also two fine selections by P. D. Bromley, all of which was enjoyed by those permitted to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Smith and son, Leonard, were at Wells River last Saturday.

L. A. Hood took Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Sumner to Barre last Thursday to con-

sult a specialist about Mr. Sumner's eye, which was badly hurt a short time ago. It can only be treated for the present, but may require an operation later.

Mrs. Martha Morrison of East Corinth is the guest of her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Morrison, for a few days.

The team on the United War Work campaign closed its canvass on Monday, but full reports are not yet in.

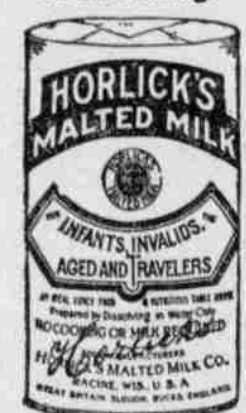
The people here participated in the peace celebration by the ringing of bells, blowing of tin horns, shouting by the children, shooting of guns, and old and

young carried fuel from the saw mill to the pinnacle in P. J. McNamara's pasture, the highest point obtainable, where they had a huge bonfire that lasted several hours. We all rejoice over this peace victory and hope we may never experience again what we have for the past four years.

Spanish influenza has broken out again in Poultney and the graded school has been closed. All students attending Troy Conference academy have been inoculated.

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